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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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: Group Art Unit: 2176  
Application No.: 09/725,034 )  
: Filed: November 29, 2000 )  
: For: DOCUMENT CONTROL )  
: APPARATUS, DOCUMENT )  
: CONTROL SYSTEM, )  
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: METHOD AND STORAGE )  
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: August 6, 2004

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2004, the period for response to which having been extended to August 6, 2004 by the accompanying Petition For Extension Of Time with fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

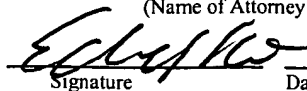
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